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Honorable Mayor Sally Hutton receives Indiana Planning Association Award

Indianapolis, IN – The Indiana Chapter of the American Planning Association honored Richmond Mayor Sally Hutton and Fort Wayne Mayor Graham Richard with the Distinguished Leadership by an Elected Official Award May 30, 2008.

Distinguished Leadership by an Elected Official is annually awarded to an individual publicly elected official for an important contribution to planning in the community. Mayor Sally Hutton said she is honored to receive the award, and thanks the staff of the Department of Metropolitan Development, all of whom worked hard to engage the community in establishing a bold mission for the future of our community.

As Mayor, Sally has made a personal commitment to the development of our recently adopted comprehensive plan, to insure that it received broad community involvement and incorporated progressive planning approaches.

City Planner Scott Zimmerman and Planning Technician Sarah Mitchell from the Department of Metropolitan Development accepted this award on her behalf Friday at the Indiana Planning Association Conference, in Indianapolis, Indiana.

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